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Applicant : Martin Esselbrugge, et al.
Title : SUPPRESSION ELEMENT FOR VORTEX-INDUCED
VIBRATIONS, CONSTRUCTION KIT, APPARATUS
FOR EXTRACTING MINERALS, AND MOLD
International
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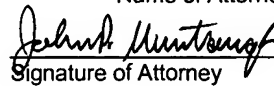
Sir:

Please amend the above-referenced application prior to examination as follows.

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